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Card

Brigadier General Julius Klein  
Suite 812  
1025 Connecticut Avenue, N. W.  
Washington, D. C.

Dear General Klein:

I am returning herewith your collection of papers concerned with the development of public relations by the Army. My people have been through this collection and were most interested to note that many of your recommendations and philosophies on public relations, written as long ago as 1941, have proven sound over the intervening years.

Particularly apt today is Section 4 which deals with the history of Hitler's propaganda machine and recommended counteraction by the American Military.

Your thoughtfulness in allowing us to review these papers is deeply appreciated.

Sincerely,

Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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MEMORANDUM FOR: EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO DCI

SUBJECT: "Combat Public Relations" by  
Brigadier General Julius Klein

1. My people have been through Brig. General Klein's collection of papers concerned with the development of public relations by the Army. There are a number of points which have been well taken by General Klein and it is particularly interesting to note that many of his recommendations and philosophies on public relations, written as long ago as 1941, have been proven sound over the intervening years.

2. Particularly apt today is Section 4 which deals with the history of Hitler's propaganda machine and recommended counteraction by the American military. General Klein recognized that propaganda must be directed toward the weaknesses and schisms in ethnic groups of a given nationality and that, of course, is still a prime psychological target, though requiring an intimate insight into the intellect and mores of the target people.

3. I appreciate your thoughtfulness in allowing me to see General Klein's work.



Acting Chief  
Psychological and Paramilitary  
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